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IN THE UNITED STATE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: : Munoz
For: : ELECTRODE-BEARING GUIDE,
COCHLEAR IMPLANT COMPRISING
SAID GUIDE AND PRODUCTION
METHOD THEREOF
Serial No. : 10/539,520
Filed : June 17, 2005
Art Unit : 3738
Examiner : Hunter
Attorney Docket No. : ABG 3003
Confirmation No. : 2914

PETITION TO CORRECT NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER
37 C.F.R. 1.181

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a Petition to Withdraw Notification of Missing Requirements Under, 37 CFR 1.181.

Applicants submit that, while the Notification of Missing Requirements states that a signed Declaration or Oath was never filed, a signed Declaration and Oath was filed on July 29, 2005, along with a surcharge of \$65. A copy of the Memory Transmission showing all 11 pages were sent, along with the original 11 page fax showing the signed Declaration and other documents filed on that day are included with this petition.

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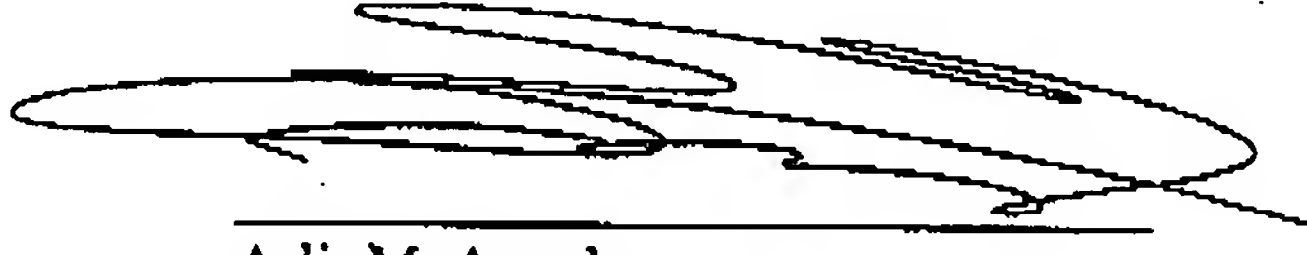
Applicants believe that no fees are owed at this time, since the error appears to be on the part of the Office.

In view of the above, Applicants request that this Petition be granted and the Notification of Missing Requirements be withdrawn.

In the event that the fees submitted prove to be insufficient in connection with the filing of this paper, please charge our Deposit Account Number 50-0578.

Respectfully submitted,

December 13, 2007
Date


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